

Calgary, July 18.—The Supreme Court have quashed the conviction against the C.P.R. for violating the Lord's Day Act at Claresholm, and

Robinson's Got Good Price

(Special to the Chronicle)
Winnipeg, July 18.—T. D. Robinson & Co. have been awarded \$100,000 for their property wanted for terminals by the Canadian Northern.

Only a Drunken

(Special to the Chronicle)
Toronto, July 18.—A queer case of robbery or trespass was revealed in the Police court here yesterday. (Time)

Italians who had been drinking wandered into the house of Alexander Martin, Chestnut street, and began to carry the furniture out into the street. Martin was at supper at the time, and, hearing the noise, he called out:

down to the hall in time to see two men carrying a bedroom dresser out into the street. The Italians were arrested and brought before the magistrate, but nothing more serious

Crops Are Doing Well.

Following is the report of crop conditions from reports received from the railway company's agents at the different points:

Medicine Hat — Crops progressing

Gleichen—Crops continue to make good progress. Fall wheat about three feet high.

Bowden—Grain making good progress and starting to head out. Weather warm and showery. No damage.

Penhold—Grains well advanced and fall wheat headed out. Weather favorable, frequent showers.

Red Bur Crops all looking fine.
About forty-eight hours' rain.
Blackfalds —Crops in good condition. No damage.
Ponoka —Crops doing well. Favorable weather, frequent showers.

Wetaskiwin —Grain growing rapidly. Winter wheat and barley heading out. Weather favorable. No damage from any cause.

Millett —Crops doing well. Weather cool and showery.
Leduc —All grain doing well. Light showers. No damage. Good prospects.
Strathcona —Crops making rather

slow progress on account of cool weather, otherwise in good condition. Stettler—Grain headed out and doing nicely, weather warm and showery. Good prospects.

Alux —Crops in excellent condition, nearly all fall wheat headed out. Weather showery and cooler than last week. No damage.

Hardisty —Crops doing well, making steady growth. Weather hot and

showery. No damage from any cause.

Sedgewick.—All crops doing well. Weather cool with frequent rains.

Killam.—Grain growing well. Cool with frequent showers. No damage.

Bawlf —All grain commencing to head out, promising heavy yield. Warm weather and considerable rain during the week.

Daysland —All grain doing well and weather fine with occasional rain dur-

Camrose —Crops in good cond;~~tion~~
Weather favorable with good showers
No damage.

High River —Fall wheat showing up splendidly. Weather very favorable. No damage from any cause.

MacLeod—All crops doing well and good weather conditions.

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Around the City.

A gentleman from Eastern Canada is negotiating for the purchase of the St. Louis Hotel.

At the gun club shoot last night the following were the best scores made out of a possible 15:

Pollard 13
Bourne 12
Fuller 12

Another contest will take place on Saturday evening if the weather is favorable.

The way some of the bus drivers race around the Breakman-Ker mill, one of these days will result in a serious accident. The practice should be stopped.

John S. Fraser has been appointed Assistant Immigration Agent to Mr. Bennett, and will take the place of Malcolm McIntyre, who leaves shortly for Scotland where he will continue up the work of immigration. Mr. Fraser is well known and popular not only in the city, but throughout the district where he has been engaged for years in the construction of elevators. Malcolm McIntyre, as will be seen by the following despatch to the Montreal Star, will have charge of the Glasgow office:

London, Eng., July 5.—It is understood that three changes will be made in the Canadian Emigration Office: Edward O. Kelly, now of Belfast, goes to Dublin, where the Government has opened large offices; John Webster, now of Glasgow, goes to Belfast; and M. McIntyre, of Strathcona, Alta., takes charge of the Glasgow office.

Miss L. Maude Smith will give a recital at the Presbyterian church Thursday evening, July 25, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society. Tickets have been left with Mr. Hutton, also Miss Fisher in Tipton's book store. Adults, 35c; children, 25c.

Many merchants are complaining that the electric lights are out on Saturday evenings just at the time of closing the business, which makes the home going not only unpleasant but dangerous. They cannot see the good sense of a system that compels people to go home in the dark, and after they have got home a while to see the city lights turned on full.

A special convention of the Northern District of the Canadian Society of Equity will be held in the city hall, Edmonton, on Wednesday, July 24th, at 2 p. m. Important business is to be transacted and it is important that every branch should be represented.

Mayor Mills ideal poundkeeper, Hauber, this morning shook the dust of Strathcona off his feet, saddled his Cayuse and hiked to his hometown at the Pomfret. He made a circuit of the city yesterday morning and found very little going and decided today that his popularity had somewhat waned. He would do the first sensible thing yet recorded of him and make himself scarce.

Will Supply Harvesters.

The secretary of the Calgary Board of Trade wrote to the C. P. R. at Winnipeg recently asking them to make some arrangements for the supply of labor for the harvesting of Alberta crops, and has received word from the C. P. R. officials to the effect that they had taken the matter up with the department of agriculture and as soon as they are advised as to the number of men needed, will be in a position to supply the demand. This is something which is very commendable in the secretary of Calgary Board of Trade, and it would not doubt be a good idea for the other towns in the province to take up the matter in a like manner. Now that Alberta is increasing so rapidly in population, the crops to be harvested will be much heavier than in the past, and at this rate of increase it will not be long until Alberta will be in the same position regarding the lack of labor as are the great wheat growing states in the United States.

C. P. R. APPEAL.

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Mr. Brock argued that the service of the summons was good in law as long as it was made in good faith, who would bring it to the notice of the proper department of the company, and that the consent of the attorney general had been obtained through his deputy. He also submitted that the onus of proving that the stock was not a case of necessity rested with the defendant.

The arguments had not been concluded when the court rose at 2 p. m.

NOTICE

The noted race horse, Ben Patch, will be drawn for at the Edmonton Exhibition ground on Saturday afternoon, July 20th, at four o'clock. All those who hold tickets kindly be present.

CHRONICS.

Is that new million dollar edifice the Grand Trunk Pacific is going to build at Ottawa a hotel with station attachment or a station with a hotel attachment?

The Golden West soap man found that the people in Strathcona who read the Journal do not use soap and those who use soap do not read the Journal.

The Journal would like to have us men who took the robbery of the victors to the Edmonton Fair by reason of its being a fraud was only kleptomaniac. Trouble with kleptomaniacs is that it becomes a habit and if the Journal keeps on denouncing it, Edmonton will try to repeat it next year.

Up to the time of going to press no one, not even the newspaper reporters who took the English language by the butt end in interviewing him at the close of last session, has mentioned the name of our own Dr. McIntyre, M.P., in connection with any of the vacant portfolio in the Laurier Cabinet. So fleeing is fame!

Sir Wilfred Laurier, the despatches say, is likely to get befooled on his journey home. The condition of his Cabinet makes it look as though he might be somewhat befooled after his arrival.

A North Dakota farmer hired a farm hand who turned out to be the defaulting President of a New York Silk House. The absconder was arrested otherwise he would probably have owned the farm before the summer was over.

The result of that lacrosse game at Calgary yesterday would indicate that there was nothing doing.

Good Characters Wanted

Ottawa, July 17.—The immigration department is forwarding circulars to 35 farmers of Ontario, with whom immigrants have been placed, inquiring as to what satisfaction they are giving and if there are any complaints as to the character and class of the immigrants now being brought to Canada from Great Britain and Continental Europe. More emphasis is even placed on the character than upon the quality of the index of the new citizens Canada is receiving.

Alleged Murderer Fights Against Extradition

Calgary, July 17.—A young Russian, named Raskevitz is now lying in a cell at the barracks awaiting extradition to Russia on the charge of murder. He was employed in the Mines at Bunkhead and was arrested yesterday by Sergt. Wilson. The arrest was made upon the advice of the Canadian government, through the medium of the British government and the method of procedure is now in the hands of the attorney-general. The crime for which this man is wanted does not seem to be of a political nature. According to the story told it occurred on April 17 at Marian Paski. A number of peasants were coming home from a fair, and it would appear with a very considerable cargo of vodka on board. While they were getting along a man got up in the cart with the murdered man and his wife, and a playful encounter took place. Two other men came along in the vodka condition and asked what they were fighting about, and the reply was that there was no fight. The men did not believe this and went away and got stocks and came back, apparently with no motive, and beat one man to death. It is possible that a mistake has been made in that the man wanted is named George, while the man arrested says his name is Mathias. He says he came to America in 1905, one year prior to the murder and on these grounds is fighting extradition. James Short is appearing for the Crown and S. L. Jones for the accused.

Living 'n Fats.

Although the sanitary arrangements are always described as being "up to date" it is just as well to find out what date is referred to.

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